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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

U.S. National Phase Application of )  
International Application No. )  
PCT/IT2004/000598 under 35 U.S.C. ) Group Art Unit: 1791  
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For: TIRE AND CROSSLINKABLE )  
ELASTOMERIC COMPOSITION )

Commissioner for Patents  
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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Applicant petitions for a one month extension of time to file a reply to the Office Action of December 31, 2009. A fee of \$130.00 is enclosed.

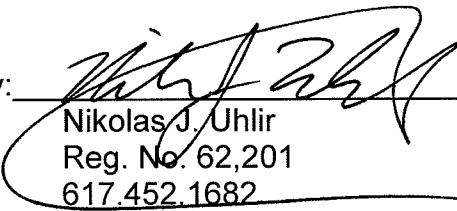
Please grant any additional extensions of time required to enter the attached reply and charge any additional required fees to Deposit Account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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